

DATE: FEBRUARY 6, 2004

TO: INTERESTED PARTIES

**RE: FOOD, BEVERAGE AND RETAIL
CONCESSION CONTRACTS**

NOTICE

This Notice is to advise all prospective proposers of the following information regarding the Request For Proposals (RFP) for the subject Contracts:

1. On page three of the Financial Proposal Form issued to all interested parties (footer date 12/11/03), the proposal security is identified as \$1,000. RFP Addendum No. 8, issued 2/4/04, revised the Proposal Security (i.e., rates per service segment). Proposers may either:
 - a. Revise their existing Financial Proposal Form, by making a hand written revision to the amount, so that it conforms to the proposal, per the rates specified in RFP Addendum No. 8 (depending on which service segment applies); or
 - b. Call WSF at 206.515.3600 or 3601 and WSF will e-mail you a Financial Proposal form with the applicable Proposal Security amount to be inserted by the proposer. WSF will also e-mail you a Proposal Bond form (if you've selected that format of Proposal Security), with the applicable amount to be inserted by the proposer.
2. Washington State Ferries (WSF) has issued a total of eight (8) RFP Addenda, but only distributed hard copies of RFP Addenda No. 4 and subsequent RFP Addenda to firms that responded to the revised RFP process pursuant to RFP Addendum No. 4. Accordingly, WSF requests all proposers who did not receive hard copies of RFP Nos. 1 through 3 to review the Addenda on the WSF web site (www.wsdot.wa.gov/ferries/contracts), under the project Request For Proposals. Proposers should acknowledge receipt of all RFP Addenda by inserting No. "8" in the RFP Addenda acknowledgement text above the proposer's signature block on page 3 of the RFP Financial Proposal Form.

Sincerely,

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